S.B. 68 IMPUTED INCOME AMENDMENTS

SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Senator **Jacob** L. **Anderegg** proposes the following amendments:

- 1. Page 3, Lines 66 through 73:
 - (b) {(i)} If income is imputed to a parent, the income shall be based upon employment
 - potential and probable earnings as derived from employment opportunities, work history,
 - 68 occupation qualifications, and prevailing earnings for persons of similar backgrounds in the
 - 69 community, or the median earning for persons in the same occupation in the same geographical
 - area as found in the statistics maintained by the Bureau of Labor Statistics , except that if a parent has no recent work history in a specified occupation or has not recently worked a 40-hour work week, the court may consider the parent's attempts at obtaining employment, and may impute income congruent with employment in a recent occupation or congruent with actual recent earnings.
 - 71 \{\(\(\)\)(ii)\) Income may not be imputed to a parent for an occupation for which the parent has
 - 72 no recent and significant work history and has no recent occupational qualifications, unless it
 - 73 <u>can be shown that the parent can obtain employment in that occupation.</u>}